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FILED DATE DECEMBER 13, 2001	CONFIRMATION NO. 2805	CUSTOMER NO. 26116	EXAMINER JOHN R. COTTINGHAM
APPLICANT(S): ROGER A. BULLIVANT		GROUP ART UNIT 3679	
TITLE OF INVENTION: CONNECTOR			

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- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: August 17, 2004
- ☐ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months;
 A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) Other: \$
- ☐ (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
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TOTAL		MINUS		
INDEP.	6	MINUS	5	1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$
x \$44	
+ \$150	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

LARGE ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$
x \$88	88.00
+ \$300	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 88.00

OR

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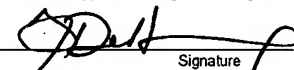
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2004, which provides for a response period ending November 17, 2004.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

A Listing of Claims begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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